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Re: MUR 6127

Dear Ms. Collins:

As we discussed, my firm has just been retained by Saul Ewing LLP in connection with the above-reference MUR. You should have earlier today received a Statement of Designation of Counsel naming myself and my partner Peter Zeidenberg as counsel to Saul Ewing LLP in this matter.

To allow us an opportunity to prepare an appropriate answer to the Commission's inquiry, we respectfully request an extension to Friday, December 19, 2008 to respond. This will give us a chance to interview relevant individuals, some of whom may not be available during or immediately after the Thanksgiving holiday. If such an extension is not possible, please let us know so that we can make other arrangements.

Thank you very much for your consideration. I look forward to speaking with you again.

Respectfully submitted,

DLA Piper US LLP

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'William H. Minor'.

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Partner



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The above-named individual and/or firm is hereby designated as my  
attorney and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications  
from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

11/24/08  
Date

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